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Request for Legislative Action

Resolution No.: 22081

Sponsor: Megan L. Smith

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IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing National Health Care Safety and Security Week 2025 and honoring the service of security and safety employees at University Health and University Health Lakewood Medical Center.

RESOLUTION NO. Enter Resolution Number and Date

INTRODUCED BY Jackson County Legislator Megan Smith, Jackson County Legislator Sean Smith

WHEREAS, healthcare security and safety employees plan an essential role in the health profession;
and

WHEREAS, University Health Lakewood Medical Center is a county-owned facility; and

WHEREAS, healthcare security and safety employees, especially those at Lakewood Medical Center, have a critical responsibility to uphold the highest levels of quality and service in their practice, ensuring the delivery of superior protection to healthcare facilities, personnel, patients, visitors, and the community; and

WHEREAS, the professionalism, courage, and resilience of healthcare security and safety employees contribute greatly to meeting the evolving healthcare security needs of the Jackson County population; and

WHEREAS, the demand for healthcare security and safety services continues to rise due to increase violence against healthcare professionals, the growth of criminal acts within healthcare settings, and the expanding aging population utilizing healthcare facilities; and

WHEREAS, professional healthcare security and safety services are a vital component in ensuring both safety and quality of care within Lakewood Medical Center, and all health facilities; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature hereby designates the week of October 13-17, 2025 as National Health Care Safety and Security Week in Jackson County, paying tribute to these essential professionals.

Effective Date: Enter Effective Date.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. Enter Number and Date, was duly passed on Click or tap to enter a date. By the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas

Nays _____

Abstaining _____

Absent _____

Date Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature